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16 **DISCORD INC.**

17 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
18 **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

19 IN RE *EX PARTE* APPLICATION OF
20 PATH NETWORK, INC.; AND
21 TEMPEST HOLDING, LLC,

22 *Applicants.*

Case No. 3:23-mc-80148-PHK

Hon. Magistrate Judge Peter H. Kang

**RENEWED REQUEST TO APPEAR
REMOTELY AT HEARING ON *EX
PARTE* APPLICATION FOR ORDER
TO TAKE EVIDENCE PURSUANT TO
28 U.S.C. § 1782**

Date: July 28, 2023

Time: 1:00 p.m.

Courtroom: F, 15th Floor

1 TO THE HONORABLE COURT AND TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR ATTORNEYS OF
2 RECORD:

3 Counsel for Respondent Discord Inc. (“Discord”) respectfully requests to appear by
4 videoconference at the Hearing on the *Ex Parte* Application for Order to Take Evidence Pursuant
5 to 28 U.S.C. § 1782 set for July 28, 2023 at 1:00 p.m.

6 The basis for this request is that counsel who will be appearing on behalf of Discord, Nury
7 Siekkinen, is located in Tampa, Florida, and appearance by videoconference will save
8 considerable legal fees and costs. Additionally, appearance by videoconference will enable Ms.
9 Siekkinen to attend a previously scheduled engagement in Tampa, Florida. Specifically, the
10 engagement is an appointment for Ms. Siekkinen’s minor child with a medical specialist that has
11 been scheduled since March. Anna Hsia, acting as local counsel for Discord in this matter, has a
12 scheduling conflict and cannot appear on July 28. However, Alexei Klestoff from the ZwillGen
13 firm can appear on July 28 as local counsel for Discord if the Court so desires. Even so, Ms.
14 Siekkinen has expertise in Section 1782 Applications and the Stored Communications Act which
15 is relevant to this matter. As such, Discord respectfully requests that the Court allow Ms.
16 Siekkinen to appear via videoconference even though such conferences are generally disfavored
17 by the Court.

18 None of the parties will be prejudiced, nor should the Court’s administration of this case be
19 impacted, by having counsel for Discord appear by videoconference rather than in person.

20 For the foregoing reasons, counsel for Discord respectfully requests permission to appear
21 by videoconference at the Hearing on July 28, 2023.

22 DATED: July 25, 2023

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